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Bench: A.K.Satapathy, President B.Mahapatra (Co-opted Member) and A.P.Sahu, Member (Finance)

Ref: GRF/Burla/Div/BNED/ (Final Order)/ 1527(4)

Date: 29 / 02 / 2024

Present:

Sri A.K.Satpathy, President.

Sri B.Mahapatra (Co-opted Member),

Sri A.P.Sahu Member(Finance).

	Case No.	BRL/159/2024	A STATE OF THE STA						
		Name & Address			Const	Consumer No		Contact No.	
2	Complainant/s	Sri Birendra Sahu At/Po- Pandri Dist- Jharsuguda-768234.				505-0079	9937204068		
3	Respondent/s	S.D.O(Electrical	Division B.N.E.D, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar						
4	Date of Application	26.02.2024							
	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination X 2.			2. Billing D	Billing Disputes			
		3. Classification/Reclassification X of Consumers			4. Contract	4. Contract Demand / Connected X			
		5. Disconnection / X 6. In Reconnection of Supply			apparati	Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer			
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						O.Quality of Supply & GSOP			
		J 1				Shifting of Service Connection & equipments			
		Ownership				Fluctuations		X	
_	G (1 () CFI (11)	15. Others (Spec	city) -X						
6	Section(s) of Electricity Act				LPY 15-14	V 101 3 44		Pik	
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019 $\sqrt{}$							
		2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations, 2004							
		3. OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004							
		4. Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation,2006							
		5. OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff)							
		Regulations,2004							
8	Date(s) of Hearing	6. Others 26.02.2024							
9	Date of Order	29102124							
10	Order in favour of	Complainant V Respondent Others							
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.								

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Place of Camp: ESO Office, Bandhabahal, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar.

Appeared

For the Complainant- Sri Birendra Sahu

For the Respondent - S.D.O(Elect.), Belpahar, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar.

GRF Case No- BRL/159/2024

(1) Sri Birendra Sahu At/Po-Pandri, Dist-Jharsuguda-768234. Consumer No.- 4172-2505-0079

COMPLAINANT

VRS

(1) S.D.O(Elect.), Belpahar, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar.

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE CASE

The Complainant filed the petition in the name Sri Birendra Sahu bearing Consumer No 4172-2505-0079 under BNED, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar stated about billing dispute.

Hence, the Complainant prayed before the Forum to consider the case for revision/rectification.

SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY

The Opposite Party has submitted ledger copy for the period from May'2004 to Aug'2021 in this case.

OBSERVATION

The case is pursued with all documents available in record and merit of the case. On examining the case in details, the Forum observed that the complainant is a LT-domestic consumer having CD 2kw with initial date of p/s 20.12.2003 through meter sl. no."252169" with billing status as bill stopped as seen from the FG data base/Samadhan App. The complainant has been raised objection on billing dispute and pray for its revision. PL/Actual bills were served upto Dec-Jan'2018 with adjustment of PL bills. Further, seen that PL bills were served during Feb-Mar'2018 to Aug-Sep'2018 as well as LD is going on since Oct-Nov'2018 to Aug'2021(10.09.2021) without levying fixed cost. Bills are ok upto Dec-Jan'2018 with outstanding of Rs 1,18,125.38/- and bill revision is required for PL periods not yet considered by opposite party. During the course of hearing, the complainant has expressed about the financial position and agreed to pay Rs 25,000/- and after payment, the p/s to be reconnected through installing a new ok meter taking DC/RC fees as applicable and balance amount to be payable by the complainant through suitable instalments fixed by opposite party along with current bill regularly and for that the opposite party has also extended the support and agreed on the same. So, bill revision is required to settle the grievance of the complainant.

Hence, the Forum is in the opinion that the Opposite party is liable to revise the bill for the period from Feb-Mar'2018 to Aug-Sep'2018 considering consecutive o6months consumption in new meter with its daily/monthly actual average consumption thereof as well as levy fixed cost for the LD periods from Oct-Nov'2018 to Aug'2021(10.09.2021).

ORDER

Considering the documents and statements submitted by both the parties at the time of hearing, the Forum hereby passes orders that:

- 1. The Opposite Party is directed to revise the bill of the consumer for the period from Feb-Mar'2018 to Aug-Sep'2018 considering consecutive of months consumption in new meter with its daily/monthly actual average consumption thereof as well as levy fixed cost for the LD periods from Oct-Nov'2018 to Aug'2021(10.09.2021).
- 2. The Opposite party is directed not to consider the bill revision for the period already revised earlier/for the period of penalty/in both cases if any as applicable as not submitted any information for the same.
- 3. The Opposite party is directed not to consider the bill revision for the period already where the complainant has availed the OTS scheme and rebate thereon if any as applicable as not submitted any information for the same.
- 4. The Opposite Party is directed to serve the revised energy charges bill with revised due date within 30 days from the receipt of this Order, duly considering the applicable tariff during the period, taking in to account the adjustments, if any, and adjustment for the payments made by the complainant and ensure payment thereof.
- 5. The Opposite Party is directed to collect the revised bill amount and on non-payment, served the Disconnection Notice to the Complainant as per Indian Electricity Act,2003 under Section 56(i) and disconnect the power supply accordingly.
- 6. The Complainant is directed to pay the revised billed amount so arrived, if any, within due date after receipt of the revised energy charges bill to avoid disconnection.
- 7. Opposite party is directed to submit the compliance report to this Forum within one month from the date of issue of this order as the case may be.

Accordingly, the case is disposed of.

(B.Mahapatra)

(Co-Opted Member)
Co-opted Member

Grievance Redressal Forum TPWODL, Burla - 768017 Member (Finance)

Grievance Redressal Forum TPWODL, Burta - 768017 (A.K.Satpathy)

President
President
Grievance Redressal Forum
TPWODL, Burla - 768017

Copy to: - (1) Sri Birendra Sahu, At/Po- Pandri, Dist- Jharsuguda-768234.

- (2) Sub-Divisional Officer (Elect.), Belpahar, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar with the direction to serve one copy of the order to the Complainant/Consumer.
- (3) Executive Engineer (Elect.), BNED, TPWODL, Brajrajnagar.
- (4) The Chief Legal-cum-Nodal Officer, TPWODL, Burla for information.

"If the complainant is aggrieved either by this order or due to non-implementation of the order of the Grievance Redressal Forum in time, he/she is at liberty to make representation to the Ombudsman-II, Qrs. No.3R-2(S), GRIDCO Colony, P.O:Bhoinagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 (Tel No. 0674-2543825 and Fax No. 0674-2546264) within 30 days from the date of this order of the Grievance Redressal Forums."

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